AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER						Docket No. 2294-0122PUS1	
Application No. 10/594,004-Conf. #8959		Filing Date September 25, 2006		Examiner A. L. Fisher		Art Unit 1616	
Applicant(s): Alfonso ROMERO et al.							
Invention: PROLONGED-RELEASE COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING TORASEMIDE AND A MATRIX-FORMING POLYMER							
MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.							
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.							
CLAIMS AS AMENDED							
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Pald	Number Extra Claims Present	Rate			
Total Claims	17	- 20 =	0	x 52.00		0.00	
Independent Claims	1	- 3 =	0	x 220.00		0.00	
Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable)							
Other fee (please specify): Request for continued examination (RCE) Extension for response within second month						810.00 490.00	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT:						1,300.00	
x Large Entity Small Entity							
No additional fee is required for this amendment.							
X Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$ 1,300.00 . A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.							
A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.							
Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.							
X The Director is hereby authorized to charge and credit Deposit Account No02-2448 as described below. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.							
x Credit any overpayment.							
x Charge-any additional filing or application processing fees required under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17.							
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